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## **CUSTOMER NUMBER 25944**

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL** 

In re the Application of

Keiko SHIRAISHI et al.

Group Art Unit: 2178

Examiner: M. PATEL

Application No.: 10/662,337

Filed: September 16, 2003

For: INSTRUCTION FORM RETRIEVAL APPARATUS, INSTRUCTION FORM EXECUTION

APPARATUS, INSTRUCTION FORM MANAGEMENT SYSTEM AND INSTRUCTION FORM

RETRIEVAL METHOD

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.

Small entity status of this application has been established.

Any additional claim fees have been calculated as shown below:

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)	
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	
TOTAL CLAIMS	*17 MINUS	**20	=0	
INDEP CLAIMS	*7 MINUS	***6	=1	
☐ FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				

SMALL ENTITY			
	RATE	ADD'L FEE	
	x 25	\$	
	x 100	\$	
	+ 180	\$	
		\$	

OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY				
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OR.		ADD'L		
	RATE	FEE		
	x 50	\$		
	x 200	\$ 200		
ΩR	+ 360	\$		
		\$ 200		

- \* If the entry in Column 1 is less than the entry in Column 2, write "0" in Column 3.
- \*\* If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
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The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" in this space (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Column 1 of a prior Amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

The fees are being paid electronically with this filing. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461.

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